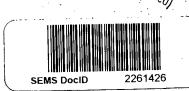
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SUBJECT:

Shaffer\Site

FROM:

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TO:

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Environmental Response Team

Here is a copy of the draft expanded contamination study work plan. I have also given copies to the WVDEP, WV Dept. of Health, Fayette County Commissioners, County Health Director and County Emergency Coordinator. I have asked them to review the document and submit any comments or recommendations to me by July 29, 1994.

As I mentioned on the phone I intend to implement this plan in August. The results obtained during this investigation will be used to design a long term remedy for the site. I plan on sending out my recommendations to all interested parties by the end of September for their review and comment. Not withstanding any enforcement (PRP) intervention I intend to complete the long term remedy by the end of November.

I am still waiting for the Concerned Citizens to Save Fayette County plan for a "Minden Area Study" that they are having drafted by Mr. Simon of Toxicology International. Larry Rose says he will have it to me in a couple of weeks, unfortunately I will be on vacation. I consider their study to be a separate issue. While related to the site, it should not delay or hamper the proposed investigations.

I will be on vacation for the remainder of July. I will get in touch with you upon my return to get your comments or recommendations on the attached plan.